GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Services – Andhra Pradesh State Judicial Service – Senior Civil Judges – Sri G. Susheel Kumar Patrudu, Senior Civil Judge, Parchur, Prakasam District– Unauthorized absence from duty--Regular departmental enquiry conducted–Charges proved—Imposition of penalty of compulsory retirement from service—Orders—Issued.

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HOME (COURTS.A) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No. 56 Dated. 11-04-2017.

Read the following: -

1. Report dated 14-11-2013 of the District judge, Prakasam at Ongole.
2. Report dated 19-11-2013 of the District judge, Prakasam at Ongole.
3. High Court proceedings issued in Order RoC No.1851/2013-Vigilance Cell, dt.20.12.2013.
4. Written Statement dt.22.1.2014 of Sri G. Susheel Kumar Patrudu.
5. High Court proceedings issued in Order RoC No.1851/2013-Vigilance Cell, dt.18.02.2014
6. Enquiry Report dt.24.8.2015 of the District Judge (Enquiries), High Court of Judicature at Hyderabad.
7. Written Submissions dt.27.10.2015 of Sri G. Susheel Kumar Patrudu.
8. Minutes dt.18.11.2015 of the Administrative Committee of the Hon'ble Judges of the High Court of Judicature at Hyderabad.
9. Minutes dt.16.9.2016 of the Full Court of Hon'ble Judges of the High Court of Judicature at Hyderabad.
10. ROC Letter No.1851/2013-vigilance cell, dated 10-11-2016 from the Registrar (vigilance), High Court of Judicature for the State of Telangana and the State of Andhra Pradesh.

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ORDER:

Whereas, the Registrar (vigilance), High Court of Judicature for the State of Telangana and the State of Andhra Pradesh at Hyderabad reported that, the High Court having considered the reports of the District Judge, Prakasam, vide reference 1st and 2nd read above, about the unauthorized absence and other acts of misconduct of Sri G. Susheel Kumar Patrudu, Senior Civil Judge, Parchur, Prakasam District, leaving the headquarters without applying any kind of leave in a callous manner and concluded that the officer prima facie is guilty of grave misconduct initiated disciplinary proceedings against the officer.

2. **And whereas**, the charged officer submitted his written statement 4th read above, and having considered the written statement of the charged officer, the High Court continued the disciplinary proceedings by ordering a regular departmental enquiry against him in the proceedings 5th read above, appointing the District Judge (Enquiries), High Court of Judicature at Hyderabad as enquiry officer for conducting inquiry into the charges in accordance with the provisions laid down under Rule 20 of the A.P. Civil Services (CC&A) Rules, 1991.

3. **And whereas**, the enquiry officer submitted his report 6th read above, holding that the **charges 1 to 4 are proved against the officer.** The High Court, has communicated the enquiry report to the charged officer and he submitted his reply dated 27-10-2015, vide reference 7th read above.

4. **And whereas, t**he High Court after considering the material on record accepted the findings of the enquiry officer and recommended to impose major penalty of compulsory retirement from service upon Sri G. Susheel Kumar Patrudu, Senior Civil Judge, Parchur, Prakasam District, in the light of the gravity and seriousness of the charges held proved against him.

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5. **And whereas,** Government after careful examination of the matter, have accepted the recommendations of the High Court of Judicature for the State of Telangana and the State of Andhra Pradesh, at Hyderabad and decided to impose major penalty of compulsory retirement from service upon Sri G. Susheel Kumar Patrudu, Senior Civil Judge, Parchur, Prakasam District.

6. **Now, therefore**, in exercise of the powers conferred under Rule 9 t(viii) of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (CC&A) Rules, 1991, Government, hereby, impose the penalty of compulsory retirement from service upon Sri G. Susheel Kumar Patrudu, Senior Civil Judge, Parchur, Prakasam District, in the light of the gravity and seriousness of the charges of misconduct held proved against him.

7. The Registrar (Vigilance), High Court of Judicature for the State of Telangana and the State of Andhra Pradesh at Hyderabad, is informed that the orders will come into force from the date of issuance of consequent proceedings by the High Court.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

C.S.S.V. DURGA PRASAD,
SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The Registrar (Vigilance), High Court of Judicature for the State of Telangana and the State of Andhra Pradesh at Hyderabad.
Sri G. Susheel Kumar Patrudu, Senior Civil Judge, Parchur, Prakasam District through the High Court of Judicature at Hyderabad.
The Accountant General, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad.
The District Treasury officer, Ongole, Praksam District.

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